

Charter Township Trustee/Appointed Position. \$6400.00 Annual Salary and \$100.00 paid for each Board Meeting attended.

Duties and Responsibilities:

Trustees are members of the township board with an equal vote in legislative and administrative government decisions within the jurisdiction of the township board.

As the name implies, a trustee is an individual placed in a position of public trust with fiduciary responsibilities to manage the affairs of the township for the best interests of the public. The trustee has the responsibility to attend township board meetings and participate in decisions and deliberations. Trustees should be given an opportunity to investigate and study important decisions before voting. They should insist upon this opportunity if it has not been afforded them, unless they feel qualified to make a decision without much study and investigation.

Trustees are frequently given additional duties and responsibilities by township board action. They are not required to accept such responsibilities but, where possible, should be willing to do so for the best interests of the township. They may be compensated for these additional duties, provided the compensation is determined prior to engaging in the activities.